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THE INCREDIBLE HULK



**Super-genius teenager Amadeus Cho cured Bruce Banner
and took on the power and mantle of the Hulk!**

While in self-quarantine in deep space, Amadeus responded to a distress signal from Sakaar, a planet Bruce Banner's Hulk once freed from tyranny. Now a new terror dominates the globe: the Warlord of Sakaar. After the Warlord systematically crushed and enslaved the nomadic clans of Skaar, the Doka'abi are the last remaining tribe, desperate for freedom. Hailing the Hulk as their champion, the Doka'abi must compete in the Warlord's barbaric trials known as the Gauntlet. Weakened by the warp portal that brought him to Sakaar, Amadeus must embrace the dark persona within him if he hopes to survive...



HULK



MAERA



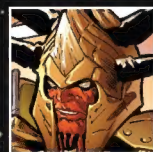
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LICKSPIT



**THE
WARLORD**

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ONCE THERE
WAS A BOY...

...WHO STOLE
THE POWER OF
A MONSTER...

...BUT FEARED
TO USE IT.

AND THEN HE
LANDED ON A
WHOLE PLANET
OF MONSTERS...

PLANET HULK

GRRRRRAAAA!



**I AM THE
WARLORD!**

**HE'S
JUST ANOTHER
MONSTER!**

AND HE'LL
FALL IN THE FIRST
ROUND OF THE **GAUNTLET**
LIKE THE CHAMPIONS OF
EVERY OTHER
CLAN!

NOW
KILL HIM!

**IN THE
NAME OF THE
WARLORD!**

BRRRZZZZZZZZZZ

HYAAAAAAAAAA!

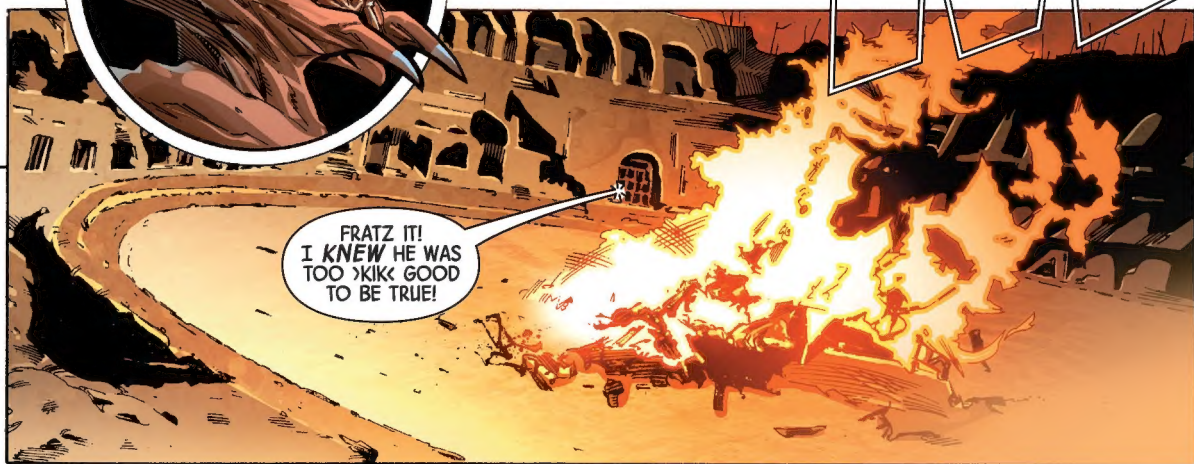


DEATH
EMBRACE ME
NOOOOWWWW--



H-HULK?

FRATZ IT!
I KNEW HE WAS
TOO >KIK< GOOD
TO BE TRUE!





RRRRRA!

HA HA! I
KNEW YOU WERE
SKIK GONNA COME
THROUGH!

DEATH
EMBRACE
US...

...HE IS THE
WORLDBREAKER!





--YOU'RE
DONE
HERE!

HHNNNNN...

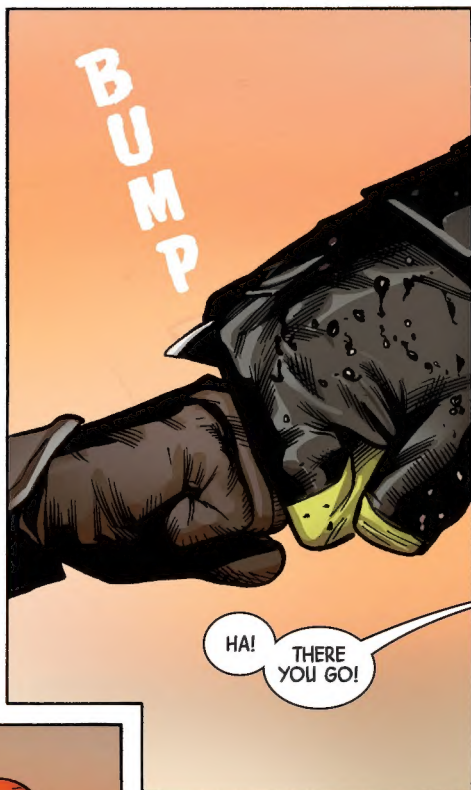
YOU DID
WHAT WE
NEEDED.

BUT THAT'S
ENOUGH.

I'M IN
CHARGE
NOW.

GET
BACK IN THE
TRUNK.

...





SHUT UP,
BLOODSCUM!

FTOOOM

FTOOOM



EVERYONE!
STAY BACK!

WHAT IS
THIS?

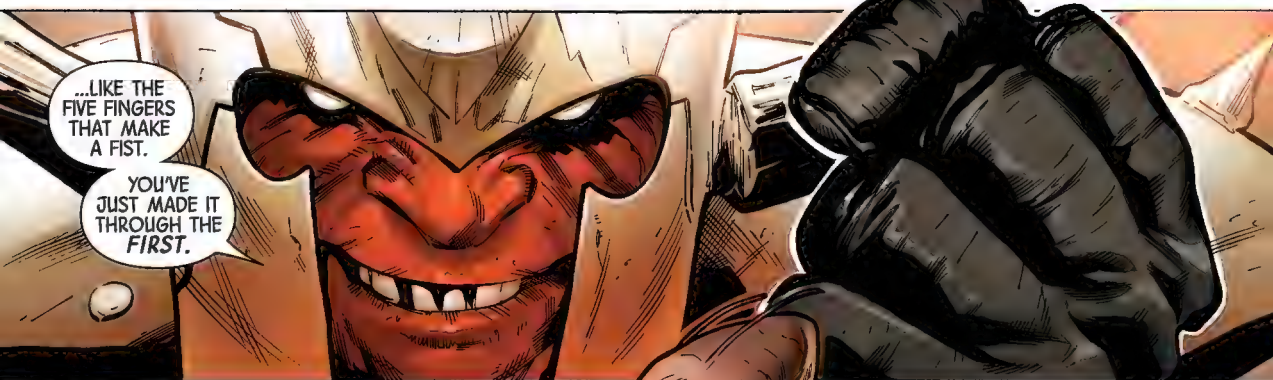
THE WARLORD
PROMISED--



YOU'RE A
STRANGER HERE,
GREENSKIN.

SO I'LL
FORGIVE
YOUR OUTBURST,
THIS ONCE.

THE
GAUNTLET HAS
FIVE LEVELS...



...LIKE THE
FIVE FINGERS
THAT MAKE
A FIST.

YOU'VE
JUST MADE IT
THROUGH THE
FIRST.



CHAK...

...IS
THIS FOR
REAL?

UH...



NOW BACK
TO YOUR PEN,
MONSTER--

--OR WE
WIPE OUT YOUR
WHOLE CLAN,
HERE AND
NOW!



GRRRRRR...

HULK,
CALM DOWN.
LET'S GO.

HANG ON,
BAHNG.

HE'S
STRONGER
THAN ANY
OF 'EM.

WHY NOT JUST
XIKK CUT HIM LOOSE
RIGHT NOW, PLOW
THROUGH THEIR ARMY
AND TAKE WHAT
WE EARNED?



YEAH...

I'M
STRONGER
THAN ANY OF
'EM...

...BUT AFTER
THE TRIP THROUGH
THE GREAT
PORTAL...

...I
DUNNO IF
I'M STRONGER
THAN ALL OF
'EM.

COME ON,
MONSTER!
LET'S DO
THIS!

...
MAYBE
LATER.



THE NEXT
GAUNTLET
BEGINS AT
DAWN.



DON'T
CRY TOO HARD,
BLOODSCUM!

IT'LL
ALL BE OVER
TOMORROW!

HA
HA HA
HA!



THAT'S IT!
INTO YOUR
PEN!



TO HELL WITH
THEM!

WE >KIK<
WON THIS
ONE!

ISN'T THAT
RIGHT,
BAHNG?

YEAH.

YEAH,
WE DID.

NO CLAN'S
EVER MADE
IT THIS FAR.

BUT NO CLAN'S
EVER HAD THE
HULK ON THEIR
SIDE!

HULK!
HULK! HULK!
HULK!

HA!

HUUUUULLLK!



AAAAAAGH!

**THE TOWER
OF THE WARLORD.**



I
ASK YOU
AGAIN...
...WHO IS THE
WORLDBREAKER?!

Y-YOU ARE,
WARLORD!



FOREVER
AND ALWAYS!

AS FORETOLD
IN THE SCROLLS!
THE LORD OF DEATH,
JUDGMENT AND
DOOM!

HRRN...

NOW...
WHO CAN TELL
ME WHERE THIS
PRETENDER
CAME FROM?



THERE, MY
LORD...

...BEFORE
WE SAW THE
MONSTER FOR
THE FIRST
TIME...

...THAT
WHEEL
APPEARED IN
THE SKY.



THAT'S
NOT A
WHEEL...



...THAT'S A
PORTAL.

GO,
LICKSPIT.

FIND OUT
HOW THEY
OPENED
IT...

...AND
WHAT'S ON
THE OTHER
SIDE.



HULK.

MAEERA?

A WORD.



IN THE
GAUNTLET, YOUR
MONSTER WANTED
TO KILL THEM
ALL.

BUT YOU
PUSHED HIM
BACK IN HIS
BOX.

I...DUNNO
WHAT YOU'RE
TALKING
ABOUT.

I'M A
SHADOW
PRIESTESS.
YOU CAN'T
LIE TO ME.

LOOK,
EVERYTHING'S
FINE.

NO.

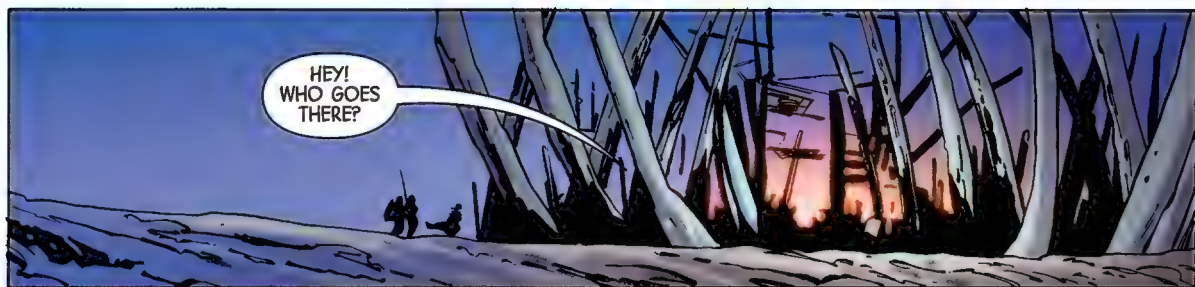


YOU...
FEAR YOUR
MONSTER.

BUT IF
YOU TRY TO
REMAIN SO
PURE...

...IF YOU DO
NOT GIVE THIS
BATTLE ALL THAT
IT REQUIRES
FROM YOU...

...EVERYONE
YOU CARE ABOUT
WILL END UP
DEAD.



HEY!
WHO GOES
THERE?



DAMN, CHAK!
I'M TRYING TO
SNEAK IN HERE
WITHOUT GETTING
KILLED!

SH-SHARN?
IS THAT--IS THAT
»KIK» YOU?

OLDER
AND SADDER.
BUT YES, CHAK.
IT'S ME.

WHAT'S
GOING
ON?

I AM
ELDER SHARN,
LEADER OF THE
DESERT SEA
CLAN.

MY OLD
»KIK» CLAN!
I--I DIDN'T
KNOW THEY
WERE STILL
ALIVE!



WE WERE
SURROUNDED BY
THE WARLORD'S
HORDE THREE
SEASONS AGO.

OUR
CHAMPION...
MY **HUSBAND**...
DIED IN THE
GAUNTLET...

...AND
THE WARLORD
ABSORBED US
SURVIVORS INTO
HIS ARMY.

SO YOU SERVE
THE **WARLORD**
NOW, ELDER SHARN.
WHAT ARE YOU
DOING HERE?

IN REMEMBRANCE
OF THE ALLIANCE WE
SHARED IN THE WORLD
WE'VE LOST...



...AND IN HOPE
FOR A FUTURE OF
WHICH WE CAN
ONLY DREAM...

...THE DESERT
SEA CLAN PRESENTS
YOU WITH **SEVEN**
CHARGED FUEL
CELLS.

MAY THEY
SERVE YOU WELL
AS YOU FIGHT FOR
YOUR FREEDOM.



ALL RIGHT!
THESE'LL POWER
THE **BLASTER!**

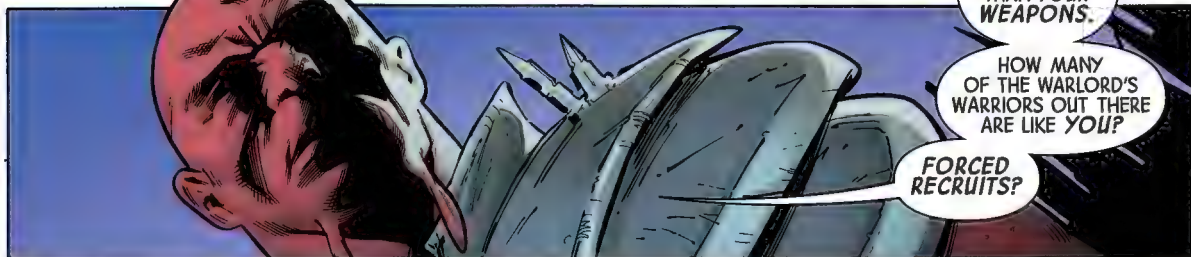
THIS TIME,
HULK, WE'LL SEND
YOU IN THERE HOLDING
MORE THAN YOUR
OWN--

THANK
YOU, ELDER
SHARN...

...BUT WE
NEED MORE
THAN YOUR
WEAPONS.

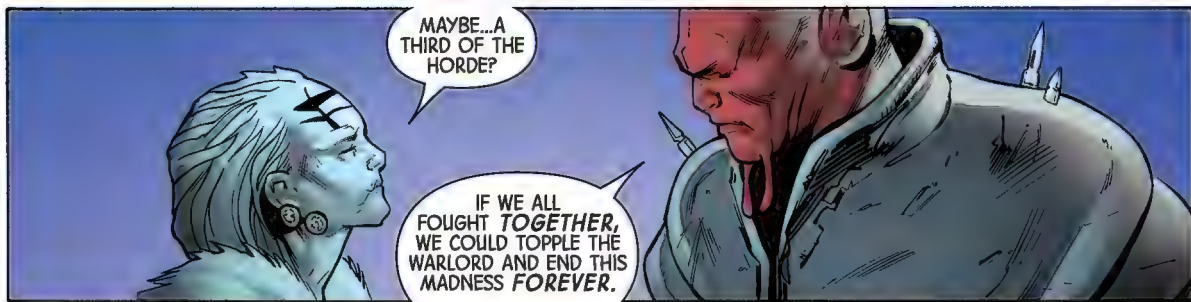
HOW MANY
OF THE WARLORD'S
WARRIORS OUT THERE
ARE LIKE YOU?

**FORCED
RECRUITS?**



MAYBE...A
THIRD OF THE
HORDE?

IF WE ALL
FOUGHT **TOGETHER**,
WE COULD TOPPLE THE
WARLORD AND END THIS
MADNESS **FOREVER.**



THIS--THIS
IS WHAT WE'VE
BEEN **SAYING**,
MOTHER!

YOU SAW
WHAT THE HULK
DID!

IF ALL OF
US JOINED
HIM--

ENOUGH,
MY SONS.



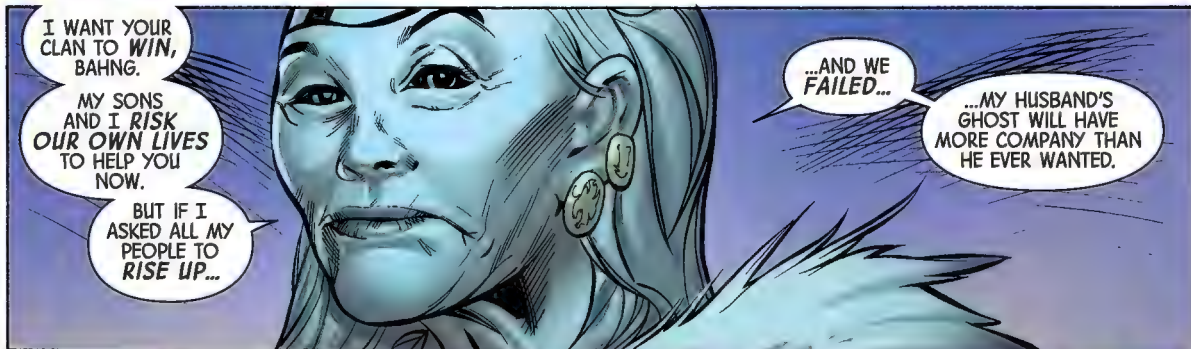
I WANT YOUR
CLAN TO **WIN**,
BAHNG.

MY SONS
AND I **RISK**
OUR OWN LIVES
TO HELP YOU
NOW.

BUT IF I
ASKED ALL MY
PEOPLE TO
RISE UP...

...AND WE
FAILED...

...MY HUSBAND'S
GHOST WILL HAVE
MORE COMPANY THAN
HE EVER WANTED.



I'M
SORRY.

WE HAVE
DONE ALL
WE CAN.





LOOK!
IT'S ELDER
SHARN!

THAT
TRAITOR! WE'LL
CUT HER GULLET
TO GROIN--



SHUT
UP.

WE'VE GOT
A **BIGGER**
MISSION
TONIGHT.



KTHOCK

UFF!



WHA...



HEY,
HEY, LITTLE
SPY.

YOU TRYING
TO BLOW MY
COVER?

SHUT UP.
THE **PORTAL**
THE **HULK** CAME
FROM...

...IT'S
SHADOW
MAGIC, ISN'T IT?
HOW'D THEY
MAKE IT?



IT'S NOT
MAGIC. IT'S
SCIENCE.

BUT
LOOK, YOU
PROMISED
TO **WATCH**
OUT FOR
ME.

HOW MUCH
LONGER DO I
HAVE TO STAY
LOCKED UP WITH
THEM?

I WANT
OUT, AND
I WANT--

SHUT
UP AND
LISTEN.

TONIGHT,
WHEN THE
PRIESTESS **RETIRES**
FOR HER EVENING
PRAYERS...

...SLIP OUT
THROUGH THE
CRACK IN THE
EASTERN
FENCE...

"...AND MEET
US AT THE
PORTAL."



GAH!

IT'S...
HOT!

LIKE THE
SUN!

OF
COURSE...

...IT'S
POWERFUL
ENOUGH TO REACH
ACROSS THE
UNIVERSE.

SO HOW
DO YOU
CONTROL
IT?

THROUGH THIS
SLAB.

MAEERA SENT
OUT A SIGNAL,
CALLED FOR THE
GREEN SCAR...

...AND THEN
WHEN HE GOT
CLOSE ENOUGH,
THE PORTAL
PULLED HIM IN.

HUH.

SO WHAT
DO YOU WANT
TO DO?

SEND
ANOTHER
SIGNAL, TO
THE SAME
PLANET.

YOU'RE...
YOU'RE LOOKING
FOR HIS FRIENDS?

NO, YOU
IDIOT.

HIS
ENEMIES.





I'M NOT
GONNA LIVE IN
FEAR LIKE ELDER
SHARN!

I'M GONNA
TAKE DOWN AS
MANY OF THOSE
SCUMGLICKS AS
I CAN WHILE I'VE
STILL GOT THE
BLOOD AND
BONE TO
DO IT!



WELL...

HELL,
YEAH.

SAME.



YOU GUYS.

I'M GONNA
MAKE *SURE* YOU
DON'T HAVE TO LIFT A
DAMN FINGER...

...BUT
GIMME SOME
OF THAT.

BUMP



RRRAAAAAAAA!



WELCOME TO
THE *SECOND*
TRIAL OF THE
GAUNTLET!

WHERE THE
PROUD WILL
FALL...

...HOPE WILL
CRUMBLE...

...AND
INNOCENCE
WILL DIE!

AAAAAAAGH!

SHARN?!

TO BE CONTINUED!



NEXT:

"RETURN TO PLANET HULK" CONTINUES



INCREDIBLE HULK #711

DECEMBER

A GREEN GIANT SCAN



*LIKE IT?
BUY IT!*

